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Michelle Steel Sponsors Free Tax Seminar in San Diego

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Michelle Steel, Orange County's elected taxpayer advocate, San Diego County Supervisor Greg Cox, and San Diego County Assessor Greg Smith announced that federal, state, and local government agencies will be available for a free one day San Diego Tax Seminar for Nonprofit and Exempt Organizations.

Representatives from the BOE, Franchise Tax Board, Internal Revenue Service, Employment Development Department, Office of the Attorney General, Nonprofit Management Solutions, and other local, state, and federal agencies will be available to assist attendees.

Event: San Diego Tax Seminar for Nonprofit and Exempt Organizations

Date: Tuesday, October 7, 2008

Time: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm (check-in at 8:30 a.m.)

Place: The Handlery Hotel and Resort

950 Hotel Circle North San Diego, CA 92108

Topics presented include: Property Tax Exemptions, Sales and Use Taxes for Nonprofit Organizations, Compliance for Existing Exempt Organizations, Employment Taxes and the Nonprofit Organization, Recent Developments in Charity Law, and Legal Issues in Fundraising.

For more information, please call 213-593-1311 or visit the BOE website at www.boe.ca.gov/sutax/tpsched.htm or www.boe.ca.gov/sutax/pdf/SDnonprofitTaxSemInviteWeb.pdf. Attendees can register at www.boe.ca.gov/cgi-bin/seminar.cgi?FLAG=81.

Elected to the Board of Equalization in 2006, Michelle Steel serves as the country's highest ranking Korean-American elected official. She represents the more than 8.5 million taxpayers of the Third Board of Equalization District, including the counties of Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Riverside, Imperial and San Bernardino.

The five-member State Board of Equalization (BOE) is a publicly elected tax board. The BOE collects more than \$53 billion annually in taxes and fees supporting state and local government services. It hears business tax appeals, acts as the appellate body for franchise and personal income tax appeals, and serves a significant role in the assessment and administration of property taxes.

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